



VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

May 18, 2016

RE: CC Docket No. 02-33 - Notice of Permissive Detariffing of Wireline Broadband Internet Access Service By Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc. - (Study Area # 411845).

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to the Commission's Wireline Broadband Order, Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc. hereby provides notice of its intent to discontinue offering wireline broadband internet access service on a tariffed basis. Effective July 1, 2016, Wamego Telecommunication Company Inc. plans to offer wireline broadband internet access service on a permissive de-tariffed, common carriage basis.

Please direct any questions to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Jeff Wick', is written over a faint, larger version of the same signature.

Jeff Wick
General Manager
Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc.
1009 Lincoln Ave.
Wamego, KS 66547

CC: Tim Schwane- NECA Region Manager



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I Jeff Wick, do certify that I have, on this 18th day of May, 2016:

1. Served by first class mail a copy of the foregoing Notice of Permissive Detariffing of Wireline Broadband Internet Access Service to the following:

Office of the Governor
Capitol, 300 SW 10th Ave.,
Topeka, KS 66612-1590

Secretary of Defense
Attn: Special Assistant for Telecommunications
1400 Defense Pentagon
Washington, DC 20301-1400

Kansas Corporation Commission
1500 SW Arrowhead Road
Topeka, KS 66604-4027

2. Serviced via paper copy of the Notice of Permissive Detariffing of Wireline Broadband Internet Access Service to the following:

WTC Communications, Inc.
1009 Lincoln Ave.
Wamego, KS 66547



Jeff Wick



Ms. Marlene Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
May 18, 2016

Notice of Permissive Detariffing of Wireline Broadband Internet Access Service
Effective July 1, 2016

Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc.
(Study Area 411845)
1009 Lincoln Ave.
Wamego, KS 66547
(785) 456-1000

CC Docket No. 02-33

Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc. hereby provides notice that it intends to cease offering wireline broadband internet access service on a tariffed basis. Effective July 1, 2016 Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc. will begin offering wireline broadband internet access service on a Title II, common carriage, permissive de-tariffed basis pursuant to paragraph 94 of the Federal Communications Commission's Wireline Broadband Order¹. The geographic areas affected are those Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc. exchanges where DSL is technically feasible.

Today, this service is provided to Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc. ISP. The ISP purchases wireline broadband access service for use as a component in their broadband internet service sold to residential and business consumers. End user service provided will not be affected by discontinuance of the tariffed offering by Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc. As stated in the attached customer notice, Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc. will continue to offer services to existing ISP customers under current rates, terms and conditions until the end of their current term or upon replacement with a Broadband Commercial Agreement. Broadband Commercial Agreements will be made available in a nondiscriminatory manner to any provider desiring to purchase wireline broadband access service for use as a component in its broadband internet service sold to consumers.

Effective July 1, 2016, Wamego Telecommunication Company, Inc., rates, terms and conditions for its permissively de-tariffed wireline broadband access service will be available at its office located at 1009 Lincoln Ave., Wamego, KS 66547 and on its website at www.wtcks.com.

¹ See *Appropriate Framework for Broadband Access to the Internet Over Wireline Facilities, Universal Service Obligations of Broadband Providers*, CC Docket No. 02-33, WC Docket No. 05-271, Report and Order and Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 20 FCC Rcd 14853 (2005). FCC 05-150 (rel. September 23, 2003) ("Wireline Broadband Order").



May 18, 2016

WTC Communications, Inc.
1009 Lincoln Ave.
Wamego, KS 66547

RE: CC Docket 02-33 – Notice of Permissive De-tariffing of Wireline Broadband Internet Access Service by Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc. (Study Area #411845).

Dear WTC Communications:

Our records indicate that WTC Communications Inc. is currently purchasing wholesale broadband transport service from Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc. under NECA Tariff Number 5 ("Tariff"). This letter is to advise you that Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc. study area 411845 will discontinue provisioning of these services on July 1, 2016, pursuant to the Tariff. Services will be made available to you on a common carrier, non-tariffed basis. The existing relevant rates, terms and conditions will not change until the end of your term or upon replacement with a Broadband Commercial Agreement. Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc. rates, terms and conditions for its non-tariffed wireline broadband access service will be available at its office located at 1009 Lincoln Ave., Wamego, KS 66547 and on its website at www.wtcks.com.

The actions described above are taken in accordance with the FCC's Report and Order (FCC 15-150) released September 23, 2015 in Docket No. 02-33. In the order the FCC determined that facilities-based wireline broadband internet service providers could offer their services on a common carrier, permissively de-tariffed basis.

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